

Railroad Matters.

LOUISVILLE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD.

On the New Albany and Chicago Railroad, Dec. 3, passenger trains will leave as follows:

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Texas Intelligence.

A gentleman connected with the Quartermaster's Department, informs the Galveston News that, unless the Government furnishes notes of smaller denominations soon, he fears he will be unable to make any more purchases. The planter is unable to use the \$100 and \$500 notes.

SALT.—Excellent salt is said to be made, and any quantity obtained, at the saline, in Freestone county.

IS HOUSTON IN DANGER?—Commenting upon the proceedings of a meeting held at Houston for the purpose of effecting a thorough military organization, the Telegraph thus holds forth:

We have so often expressed our opinion on the subject of the action contemplated by the resolutions, that we have very little to say which would not be a repetition. It does seem to us, however, that our people realize their actual situation.

They repose in a false security, and slumber upon a mine which may any day explode and overwhelm them in utter ruin. We know that many think that Houston will be in no danger, even if Galveston is occupied by the enemy. Upon what this hypothesis is founded, or what good reason can be assigned for such an opinion, we are utterly at a loss to conceive.

With Galveston in possession of the enemy, ten thousand men would be inadequate to the task of guarding the exposed points on our coast where the enemy could land in easy striking distance of Houston. Five thousand men on Virginia Point could easily be flanked on both sides by an enemy in possession of both the Gulf and the Bay.

Such is the truth, and it is well for our people to understand it. We must get ready to defend the approaches to Houston, and we have delayed so long that there is but little time left for preparation.

The Austin Intelligence mentions a rumor that returns received after the inauguration of Gov. Lubbock, gave Clark a majority over him of some three hundred votes. The Gazette says it is not true; that no returns have been received since the official canvass, and there is no doubt if all the votes were in, Lubbock's majority would be increased.

The Intelligence says an old man named Samuel Lane, was killed by the Indians about two miles from the town of Comstock, in this county.

The Gazette says the amount of money in the treasury for distribution for school uses is much smaller than for any previous year, owing to the failure of the railroad companies to pay interest on the school fund loaned them.

The Galveston Messenger notices the passage through Galveston of several ox carts loaded with cotton for Mexico. The cotton was shipped by merchants of Galveston, Victoria, and Lavaca, and was expected to reach the latter place in exchange for goods. This is right and we are glad to see it. Nothing will go further toward maintaining friendly relations with Mexico than this interchange of commodities.

The Natchez Chronicle learns that several persons have engaged in salt making at the salines near that place, which exists in great abundance. Appearances indicate that salt will be a cheap article in Texas ere long.—Houston Telegraph, Dec. 6.

Brownsville, as we learn from a letter in the Galveston News, is in a more defensible position than since its occupancy by Confederate troops. It is now considered ready to receive Old Abe's invasion, via Mexico. The News has also the following:

Many droves of bees are being sent from various parts of Texas to New Orleans. A large bar passed this city yesterday (6th) morning, sailing westward, and passing within five or six miles of our coast, she was in plain view from our look-outs. Reliable and good judges, who observed her with eyes and ears, report to have been covered with armed men. Her destination is only a matter of conjecture. We shall probably hear from her.

The Dallas Herald says: Diphtheria, we learn, is prevailing to an alarming extent in the neighborhoods between Dallas and Cedar Hill. It is said that fourteen children have died with this terrible scourge within the last ten days.

The Galveston Civilian, of the 6th, has the following items: A large man-of-war vessel passed our bar, going west, yesterday. Look out! The Third Regiment, Colonel Steele, of Sibley's brigade, has left for Arizona. We trust these three thousand gallant men will find a field of glory, to recompense them for the toilsome march and privations before them.

Colonel Moore's Regiment has left us for Houston, where, we suppose, it will be stationed, with a view of being sent to the first point assailed by the enemy. Should the attack be made on either this point, the Sabine, or the Brazos, it will be found that General Herbert has no disposed his forces as to bring them to bear without delay.

The Houston Telegraph has a report from private letters, that Col. Reilly had reached Galveston, with his regiment, and formed a junction with Col. Reilly.

Col. Parsons's regiment of cavalry passed through Houston on the 23d ult., en route to their new and permanent encampment at Sims Bayou, on the line of the Galveston and Houston railroad.

The same paper of the 14th, says: Our streets were filled yesterday with a large number of Mexican carts, sent up from San Antonio, to carry off the 100,000 pounds of flour contracted for by Mr. Alex. Young, for the army. For some time, the number of trains leaving this county for the coast and for the West has been very great.

The Marshall Republican, of the 4th, makes the following statement about the position of affairs at Galveston: The Houston Telegraph, of the 2d inst., states that Galveston has been evacuated, and that the property, public and private, was being removed to Houston. Hon. W. P. Hill arrived at home a few days ago, from whom we gain substantially the following facts:

On the 10th ult. a council of war was held at Galveston, at which it was determined that it was impossible to defend the city successfully. The largest guns at the fortifications upon the island were 32 pounders, smooth bore, having a range not exceeding two miles, while the enemy's guns were of the largest calibre, shooting with accuracy three or four miles. To await an attack was simply to invite the surrender or destruction of our troops and the city, without the power of inflicting injury upon the assailants. It was, therefore, decided, under all the circumstances, to evacuate Galveston and occupy a position in the rear of the city, so as to repel any advance of the Federal troops after they had landed. In consequence of this determination, an order was issued for the removal of all the hospital patients from Galveston to Houston, which was accomplished immediately. All the public and private property was being rapidly removed to Houston, when Judge Hill left Galveston. The proprietor of the News had rented house in Houston, and announced that his next issue would be printed in that city, and all the other newspaper establishments, it is supposed, have done the same. The guns have been removed from the different fortifications, and the troops have fallen back to the terminus of the railroad bridge on the island, and a still larger force stationed at Virginia Point, on the main land.

Court of Appeals. FRANKFORD, Dec. 24, 1861. CLARK vs. FRANKFORD. Remittitur granted. FRANKFORD vs. FRANKFORD. Remittitur granted. FRANKFORD vs. FRANKFORD. Remittitur granted.

W. T. Samuels, Esq., of Elizabethtown, Martin Bijar, Esq., of Louisville, and J. H. Jones, Esq., of London, were admitted attorneys in this Court.

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ANOTHER BRITISH PARADE.—Judge R. P. Spaulding concludes a letter in the Leader on the Trent affair with the following postscript:

P. S.—Since penning the foregoing, I have been told by an aged shipmaster, now in this city, that in the year 1810 the American ship Hercules, Capt. Edward West, of Salem, Mass., sailed from that port in France, perhaps Marseilles, for the United States, having on board as passengers, Lucius Bonaparte and his family, they having then determined to migrate to this country. The ship, for some purpose, touched at a neutral port, before leaving the Mediterranean, where a British squadron was riding at anchor. The English Admiral boarded the Hercules, and ascertaining who were his passengers, very civilly informed Capt. West that he might depart with his ship unmolested, but that Mr. Bonaparte and his family must remain behind. The ship sailed without them. My informant received his information from the Captain of the Hercules.

ANOTHER GREAT SWINDLE IN ENGLAND.—The commercial world in Europe has been startled by another of those stupendous frauds which every now and then fright the British isle from its propriety. The National Insurance and Investment Association has suddenly wound up under the joint stock companies' act and the bankruptcy code, insinuating an indebtedness of upwards of \$1,800,000, while its assets amount to only \$275,000. The names of several persons of high rank and standing figure as those of directors in this great swindle.

Paris is said to be gay, in spite of the national finances, and the great falling off in American trade. The shops and the hotels suffer, but the theatres are crowded to excess. At the "Italian" Miss Phillips has made a veritable success. Even Janin gives her great praise. Paris is glad to hear and see something fresh.

The fate of Charleston may be shared before long by other Southern cities. The Montgomery, Ala. Advertiser says that no less than seven attempts were made to set fire to that city within two days, and that two of them were partially successful.

The National Intelligence, in answer to an inquiry, says that the General-in-Chief, in accepting the services of the French Princes on his staff, did not require an oath of allegiance from them. They decline to receive any.

The powder found on the farm of Gov. Claib. Consists of 175 kegs, and is part of the powder collected by Jackson in the spring, while he was engaged in arming the secessionists under the guise of armed neutrality.

A snow-show club—the first of the kind, we believe, ever started in Quebec under the patronage of Lord Monk.

AMUSEMENTS. THEATRE.—The new spectacle play is a delightful novelty. Fairies, fairies, demons, scenes of enchantment, gorgeous scenery, beautiful tableaux, showers of gold, and all else that we read of fairy land, is here presented to the eye. The attraction of a score of beautiful girls, in a bewitching costume, whose bright eyes flash with mirth and merriment, "playing soldiers" is one not likely to be neglected, even in the death of the circulating medium. The play is founded on the story of the Three Thieves, and its oriental character enables the management to present scenes of unparalleled splendor. The pieces are admirably got up, and when the joints of the machinery of the parts are greased by practice, it will equal any spectacle ever presented on this stage. It will be repeated every night till further notice.

BUSINESS NOTICES. A Word to Newspaper Readers. The Daily Morning Democrat and Evening News supply all the dispatches, local and general news. Those who wish to keep posted with the stirring events of the times, should be supplied with both editions. The morning edition costs twenty-five (25) cents for every two weeks, and the evening edition fifteen (15) cents for two weeks. This places a paper within the reach of all.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS AND DRAGGERS.—We have now in store, and will be receiving daily, a superior article of Western Reserve, Hamburg, and English dairy cheese, dried beef, beef tongue, and spiced pigs' feet, Bologna sausage, figs, almonds, filberts, Brazil nuts, sardines, No. 1 roe herring, 500 boxes No. 1 smoked herring, sour kroust, white beans, new fall sugar-cured bacon, breakfast bacon, 100 barrels pearl hominy, 50 casks old hams and shoulders, clear and ribbed sides (that will be sold very low), 350 sacks No. 1 Pennsylvania buckwheat flour, potatoes, onions, &c., all of which will be sold low by General Commission Merchant, CLIFFORD & CO., 226 West Main Street.

F. Grauman & Co., No. 222 Fourth Street, between Main and Market, will continue the sale, on to-morrow morning, at 10 o'clock, of the best selected stock of ladies' dress goods, blankets, prisms, muslins, ladies' gloves, shoes, and all articles ever sold in their house. The particular attention of our lady readers is directed to this sale.

TO THE LADIES.—The attention of the ladies is called to our "Glycerine Cream," a superior article for curing chapped face and hands, and an effectual safeguard against chapped skin.

RAYMOND & TYLER, 74 Fourth St. de25 de26 de27

COUNTRY MERCHANTS AND DEALERS generally will note that Nathan White, on Third Street, offers a full stock of goods, amongst which is a full line of notions, notions, woolen goods, hoods, gent's furnishing goods, and goods solely adapted for the season, wholesale and retail, at lowest prices, for cash. d19 de46

Mr. Phil Tompsett, Jr., at W. G. Reaser's law office, in Court Place, has considerable time on his hands, which he would be glad to employ in balancing books, making out bills, copying deeds, or other important documents. Apply as above. de18 d12

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Nat. Galtier, Jr., Secretary of State, inviting sealed proposals for carrying and distributing the public books and documents for the several counties of the State.

Sellers should not fail to supply themselves with Hurley's celebrated Quick Yeast before leaving the city. No pantry is complete without it. Remember the genuine is manufactured only by Thos. A. Hurley. See advertisement. de22 de45

A respectable young man, accustomed with fancy goods. References required. Call at Nathan White's, Third St., between Market and Jefferson. d3

FAMILY PORK.—Those desirous of procuring a good article of family pork will find it for sale on the hooks at Wm. Jarvis & Co.'s porkhouse this day and to-morrow. de22 d3*

UNCURRENT MONEY.—All depreciated money received for subscriptions will be taken only at its current value by the brokers.

We refer our readers to Charlie Ruefer's advertisement of this morning. He has everything nice in his line.

J. N. Collins sells the best of coal at his office, Third Street, between Market and Jefferson. Give him your orders. d1

CINCINNATI, HAMILTON COUNTY, State of Ohio.

Before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace, in and for said county, personally came John Lee, who, being duly sworn, deposed and said that he had been suffering from Chronic Rheumatism for the past twenty-two years, and had consulted, and received prescriptions for his case from all the principal physicians in Philadelphia and Cincinnati, but all to no effect, as he has received no relief. At last he was cured of his chronic Rheumatism, and ever enduring relief, by the advice of a friend named J. H. Barker, who had cured him of his chronic Rheumatism, and to his utter surprise, found relief from the first trial; and in less than two months, found himself cured of his chronic Rheumatism, and ever enduring relief, by the advice of a friend named J. H. 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RIVER MATTERS.

ARRIVAL.—The Major Anderson, from Cincinnati with an assorted cargo; Emma Duncan, from St. Louis, with a full load of oranges, bound to Cincinnati, to arrive tomorrow morning. The Major, from Albany, which she added quite a large quantity of apples. The Trip, from the mouth of the Kentucky river, with a tolerable trip of hay and produce; Maconic Gem, from the Kentucky river, with the same; Poland from Evansville, discharging a small lot of corn.

DEPARTURES.—Major Anderson, for Cincinnati, with her usual trip of freight and passengers; Trip, for Carrollton; Maconic Gem, for Kentucky river, both with full cargoes. The Cincinnati, full load.

RIVERS AND WEATHER.—Water rising, with a fire and a half feet in the canal, by the mark. Weather clear and cool.

THE Cincinnati Equipter of yesterday has this

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And whenever the Deacon made inquiries of the people concerning the manner and circumstances. After finally worship the Deacon invited him to go out to the barn with him.

When they got into the yard, the Deacon, pointing to one of the cows, exclaimed, "That cow is the cow that drove her home." The man thanked him humbly for the cow, and started home; but the Deacon was observed to stand in the attitude of deep thought until the man had gone some rods. He then looked up, and called out to the boy, "Come back here."

The man looked around, and the Deacon added—"Let that cow come back, and you come back, too." He did so, and when he came back into the yard again, the Deacon pointed to the cow and said, "Pick up the cow."

THE ATTITUDE OF FRANCE.—The *Moniteur*—the official journal *par excellence*—records the facts of the Mason and Sillid case, but with characteristic reticence, holds its opinions in abeyance. The *Presse* the *Siecle*, and the *Opinion Nationale*, while admitting the serious character of the complications, all justify the act of Capt. Wilkes as legal. The *Debats*, organ of the *Orleanists*, shows that the seizure of the rebel commissioners was justifiable and warranted by the precedents established by England herself. The *Constitutionnel*, the *Patrie* and the *Pays*, on the other hand, stigmatize the act as outrageous and un-justifiable.

thorized by international law; but, when it is remembered that these three journals are the least influential in Paris, we have a right to presume that their unfavorable opinion will weigh but little in the scale against us.

Mr. Hon. Jas. C. McManahan, of Chamberburg, Pa., former member of Congress and United States Senator, died suddenly in New York City on Monday night last. He was born at Antietam in Dickinson County, in 1846, was educated at Dickinson College, and studied afterwards at Dickinson College, and then at Chamberburg, and soon took a high rank in his profession. In 1874 he was elected to the Pennsylvania Senate. In 1890, and

1851 he was elected to Congress, and made a most faithful and excellent member. He has not appeared in public life since his retirement from Congress.

SINGULAR ACCIDENT FROM A GUN—Mrs. John Willis, residing at Palermo, Oswego county, met with a singular accident on Sunday evening last. She was sitting in the room rocking a cradle with one foot, when a loaded rifle, which was standing or hanging against the wall, was thrown down by the jar of some one shutting the door, and discharged—the ball passing over the head, striking her leg below the knee. One of the bones was struck and badly shattered.

THE PENSACOLA.—The new man-of-war Pensacola is still lying down at Alexandria, blockaded by the rebel batteries on the Potomac. Her armament is now complete, except one gun. She has now twenty-two 68-pounders, and will take on a 150-pound gun in a few days. When ready for service, she can throw 600 pounds of shot and shell every discharge, and in one hour can fire twenty tons, at a distance of from two to three miles.

THE MINERAL OIL BUSINESS.—The Petroleum oil business at Allegheny city, Pa., is said to be immense. The wharves are crowded with it, and flatboats are constant-

ly taking it away. Numbers of refineries have been erected, but they cannot supply the demand. Crude oil is sold there at 15 cents per gallon, the refined oil 42 cents for the best qualities, prices which pay liberally.

CAN THE REDDLE SAVE THEIR BACON?
We say No! First, because they have no salt. The Southern water, which is only for a few weeks, has now come, and there is not even an end in the whole South for table use, saying nothing about their pork. They are trying a substitute for salt petre but it won't save them.

ON the south wall of a church at Lewisham, Kent, is a monument to a woman

Notice to Owners of Property.
GRADING AND PAVING OF SIDEWALKS.
The owners of lots and parts of lots designated on the map as follows:

ordinances have been passed by the General Council, approved and published, requiring the grading and paving of the sidewalks in front of their respective lots; and if they fail to have the same properly done within thirty days from the date hereof, the work will be done under a contract at the expense of lot owners, as provided for in the 34 section of the 7th article of the City Charter; all drains from lots or houses to be conveyed under the sidewalks in iron pipes, in accordance with the ordinance regulating the same; said work, when executed, to be received by the City Engineer, and if not done in every respect in accordance with specifications regulating side-

To grade and pave sidewalks on the north side of Madison street, between Preston and Jackson streets. 50 feet.

Nicholas Schneider.....	30	40
George Schmemaker.....	30	40
Jas. Gray.....	25	40
Mary Brown.....	30	40
John Hennsberger.....	30	40
L. Howarth.....	35	40
B. B. Hinkle.....	20	40
R. D. B. Powell.....	23	40
Bridget Butler.....	20	40
Wm. Preston.....	20	40
Mrs. H. A. Hunter.....	20	40
T. C. Tucker.....	40	40

D. J. Bowles..... 60 "

J. M. DELPH, Mayor.
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Notice to Pump Contractors.

Proposals for bids will be received at my office until Friday, December 27, 1861, 12 o'clock m., for repairing and keeping in repair the public pumps in the Eastern and Western Districts, for the space of three years from the 1st of January, 1862. Bids for each district to be made separate, and the usual security required.

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